IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA

ZEEL M. PATEL,)
Plaintiff,)
v.) CIVIL ACTION NO. 1:25-cv-101
PAM BONDI, ATTORNEY GENERAL) JUDGE SUSAN PARADISE BAXTER
OF THE UNITED STATES; KRISTI NOEM, SECRETARY OF HOMELAND) (Electronic Filing)
SECURITY; TODD LYONS, ACTING)
DIRECTOR OF U.S. IMMIGRATION AND CUSTOMS ENFORCEMENT,)
)
Defendants.)

JOINT STIPULATION OF DISMISSAL

Plaintiff Zeel M. Patel ("Plaintiff") and Defendants, Pam Bondi, Attorney General of the United States, Kristi Noem, Secretary of Homeland Security, and Todd Lyons, Acting Director of U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement ("ICE") (collectively, "Defendants"), by and through undersigned counsel, hereby jointly stipulate to dismiss this action without prejudice under Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 41(a)(1)(A)(ii), and in support thereof state as follows:

- 1. Plaintiff brings this action arising out of allegations that her Student and Visitor Exchange Information System ("SEVIS") record was wrongfully terminated. ECF No. 1.
 - 2. On April 25, 2025, ICE provided the following notice to Defendants' counsel.

ICE is developing a policy that will provide a framework for SEVIS record terminations. Until such a policy is issued, the SEVIS records for plaintiff in this case (and other similarly situated plaintiffs) will remain Active or shall be reactivated if not currently active. ICE maintains the authority to terminate a SEVIS record for other reasons, such as if a student fails to maintain his or her nonimmigrant status after the record is reactivated or engages in other unlawful activity that would render him or her removable from the United States under the Immigration and Nationality Act.

3. Plaintiff's SEVIS record has been reactivated.

4. Accordingly, Plaintiff's claims are now moot, and the parties jointly stipulate that this action be dismissed without prejudice.

WHEREFORE, pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 41(a)(1)(A)(ii), the parties hereby stipulate to voluntarily dismiss Plaintiffs' claims without prejudice, with each party bearing its own attorneys' fees, costs, and expenses.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on this 28th day of April, 2025, a true and correct copy of the within *Joint Stipulation of Dismissal* was served by CM/ECF upon all counsel of record.

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